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MARYLAND DNR FOREST SERVICE

WILDLAND FIRE TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

The Maryland DNR Forest Service Fire Management Staff is offering the NWCG certified training courses S-130 – Wildland Firefighter; S-190 – Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior and L-180 – Human Factors on the Fireline. These are the basic wildland fire courses and are also prerequisites for an entry level wildland firefighter.

Dates: Monday March 28, 2016 through Friday April 1, 2016
Training will begin promptly at 0900 and end at 1630 each day.
(Lunch on your own)

***** Students must attend each day of the training to receive credit for completion*****

Location: MFRI Upper Eastern Shore Regional Training Center
601 Safety Drive Centreville, MD 21617
<http://www.mfri.org/Regions/maps/4uesrtcmap.html>

Registration: Email Chris Robertson at chris.robertson@maryland.gov. Provide your name, daytime phone number and fire department or agency affiliation. **Registration deadline is March 15, 2015**

Course Lead Instructor: Chris Robertson chris.robertson@maryland.gov or 410-228-1871

There is no cost for tuition or course materials. Meals and lodging are not provided.

Note: Minimum class size is 10 students. Maximum class size is 30 students.

Maryland Wildland Fire Crew: candidates must complete the above courses; two additional online courses IS-700.a & IS-100.b (see below); and pass a physical endurance test called the Work Capacity (Pack) test. See separate announcement for Pack Test dates and registration. Red cards may be issued after successful completion of all requirements.

Additional Online Training: Required for agency certification as a Maryland Wildland Firefighter I or to be Red Carded as a FFT2.

IS-700.a: <http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/courseOverview.aspx?code=IS-700.a>

IS-100.b: <http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/courseOverview.aspx?code=IS-100.b>

